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They Say

home to stay where he can think over his deeds.

All subscribers to the Bee, will pay up by February, and receive a daily Bee instead of weekly.

Something will happen in a few days, a new recorder will be sworn in. A few changes will be made immediately, and the others will follow.

A large audience turned out last Sunday morning at all the churches. It was a beautiful day.

The Christian Endeavor of the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, after its meeting in the afternoon last Sunday, marched in a body to the Congregational Church, corner 16th and G, where a sermon was preached, dedicated to them.

The Economy Shoe House is selling shoes at a reduced rate. Go and get a pair.

It is rumored that a few new appointees will go in the Recorder's office, but they will not stay long, a change will be made in the head.

Will the acrobatic editor of The Defender deny the letter of Chas. R. Douglass, and the charges of Taylor?

Will the acrobatic editor tell the public why he abuses Dr. Williams?

A person that writes over a nom de plume is a coward and a sneak.

The race never had a leader and it is hard to find one now.

The colored press is in favor of reform.

Don't be alarmed, all is well.

Right is bound to prevail.

The Freedmen's hospital is progressing, notwithstanding the attacks of the acrobat.

Howard University is a great institution.

Dr. Rankin will find out, if he has not already, that some negro representatives need watching.

Prof. J. M. Gregory is coming to the front.

The man that doesn't know his own mind is not to be trusted.

Presidential candidates are booming.

It does not argue because one negro recorder does wrong that they will all do wrong.

When you hear the wind blow, you must not be frightened.

The Morton Club is the greatest in the city.

Managers Dabney and Burgess are enterprising men.

Let us have all the facts, let it hurt whom they may.

The Baptist Association will support Rev. Clay Robinson to a man.

Rev. Robinson is strongly indorsed.

Read the Bee if you want all the news.

The Old Man Eloquent did not think.

There will be hundreds of people surprised.

When you are right there is nothing to fear.

All men are honest until they are found out to be dishonest.

The colored Democratic conference is a thing of the past.

Don't believe a word you hear.

Thompson, the Washington correspondent of the Indianapolis World, declares that the porpoise drew first blood.

Mr. Thompson, the first shall be last, and the last first.

He laughs best who laughs last.

I'm sure you are right, and then go ahead.

Wait old boy, and you will see something.

Don't count your chickens before they hatch.

WHAT DO YOU THINK?

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THE INDICTMENT.

The colored people of this country are beginning to learn the importance of exposing corrupt men in office. They have also learned that man's color shall be no bar to him being exposed when he is in the wrong.

What is the duty of a public journal? Is it to expose wrong wherever and whenever found. Have the people been imposed upon by the appointment of C. H. J. Taylor to office? The presumption was that it was his color that caused the opposition of the people. Evidence at the coming trial will dispel forever, that idea or belief. If there ever was a monster in disguise, it is that same occupant of the recorder's office.

If the Bee is guilty of libel, a jury of twelve honest men will say so; if the Bee fails to lay before the people a human monster, then it is guilty of an offence that twelve men will condemn by their verdict. What protection is there for our women when a man holds over them an illegal lash? The Bee appeals to the people to lay aside sentiment and lead the evidence that shall be introduced at the coming trial of the editor of the Bee.

We are told that Taylor should be removed, no other negro will ever be recorder of deeds. Why should this kind of talk hold? We would have the same cause to argue if a white man commits a wrong in office, no other white man should be appointed to that office. Other men of color held the office of Recorder of Deeds with credit. Frederick Douglass was an honor to the office; James C. Matthew, of Albany, appointed by Mr. Cleveland, made one of the very best recorders that ever held the office; James Trotter, of Hyde Park, Mass., made an acceptable recorder; Hon. Blaine K. Bruce, was an honor to that office; and a man who had the respect and confidence of all classes of citizens. Because on man does a wrong act, it is not presumed that every man is guilty.

The removal of Taylor from office will be a vindication of a race of people in whom the President has confidence and wanted to show his appreciation for that people by the appointment of one of their number who claimed to advocate the principles of the party of which he is the chief representative.

There is no politics in the Bee's expose of Taylor; it is not so, but for the best interest of himself, the people and his bonds men. For himself, because if he remains in office much longer without the watchful eyes of the Bee he will get in trouble; for the people, because the people's deeds are recorded there; but for the bond-men, because they will be held responsible for his misdeeds.

An indictment for criminal libel has been returned by the grand jury against the editor of the Bee, and all he asks is, let the jury decide the case.

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The Bee will in a very few weeks publish the real conspiracy against the institution, the cause of the conspirators are either directly or indirectly interested in a job there. It is really amusing to read some of the excuses they give for their opposition to the university. The Bee is for Dr. Rankin and the university.

THE LIBERIAN MISSION.

The President is confronted with a number of applicants for the Liberian mission. Among the most prominent candidates, are Robert G. S. of Phila., P. C. Quarles, of Miss.; E. E. Smith, of N. C. Carolinas, and a number of other men.

What the President has decided to do, no one knows; but it is likely that the President will make the appointment in a few days.

The Chase-Taylor libel suit will be called up for trial next week.

It is hoped that Congress will order a special act to test suffrage in this district at once.

The rights of the people have been ignored by the present form of government.

Mr. Thompson, the Indianapolis correspondent should know the people.

The present form of government is unconstitutional and tyrannical.

The people of this city are in favor of suffrage.

The next clerk of the House of Representatives will be the Hon. Thomas J. Henderson.

Editor James A. Ross went to Baltimore on legal business Tues day.

Type writing and job printing done at this office.

The letter of Mr. Henry E. Cuneo that appeared in the Bee last week, in reply to the political acrobat, was pointed and clear.

The paper of Lawyer E. M. Hewlett, before the Ebenezer Lyceum, on Sabbath afternoon, was omniscient with that gentleman's legal ability. His paper was unanimously endorsed by over 500 people.

Hon. B. K. Bruce, who has been in Mississippi for several months, returned to the city last week looking well and healthy. The Senator was in the best of spirits and looks forward to a bright future.

H. C. As wood, the all round political acrobat, is not wanted in the Republican party. He is a politician out of a job and greatly in need of something.

The Executive Committee of the Emancipation day celebration, will be held next month. Mr. G. O. W. Stewart, the chairman, will call the committee together.

The Democratic Times has been placed on our exchange list. It is a semi-weekly and from all appearance, it has come to stay, although the newspaper graveyard is very large. It has our best wishes for its success.

The Bee has been selling like hot cakes for the past three weeks. There are only a few more left of issue No. 5, with the article headed "Our Defense," which can be bought at 10 cents per copy. For something rich, see next issue.

The Republican Sun, a bright and newsy journal has reached our sanctum. The editors are R. C. O. Benjamin and John H. Ballou. The Sun has our congratulations and best wishes for its success.

THE MORTON CLUB.

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PUBLIC OPINION ON THE PORPOISE RECORDER.

From the Texas Freeman.

The public mind is rather thoroughly impressed that "Old Alphabet" Taylor is a bold, bad man; but for much, will be forgiven if he succeeds, through the medium of a suit for criminal libel, in suppressing the scurrilous, vindictive editor of the Washington Bee.

From the Philadelphia Stock.

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From the Indianapolis Freeman.

The probabilities are that the hopeful and variegated editor of The Defender got into camp just in time to escape being co-defended with Bro. Chase against the aroused ire of the District Recorder. No newspaper has a right to indulge in indiscriminate or the mildest kind of slander of any one, but whether Mr. Calvin Chase of the Washington Bee, has been guilty of slandering Mr. Taylor, is yet to be found out. Hence, the Defender's implication, in advance of the trial that he did, "don't go."

AS TO MR. HERACLITUS CONSTANTINE, ETC.

From the New York Sun.

Mr. Heraclitus Constantine Jeconiah Taylor, President Cleveland's picturesquely record of deeds of the District of Columbia, has instituted suit in the District courts for criminal libel against William Calvin Chase, the editor of the Washington Bee. The report of the civil service commission, recommending that Taylor be removed from office, was based in the main upon facts furnished by Chase. Mr. Taylor, who hails from Kansas, and is a very breezy citizen, has been in hot water ever since he went to Washington.

HE WILL BE CHASED TO KANSAS.

From the Mid and Express.

It seems that Recorder Taylor wants to take a Chase.

NO, THE ANGER OF INNOCENT WOMEN.

From the Suburban Enterprise.

We wonder if Brother Chase dips his pen in gall when he writes about the "recorder?"

LAWYER HEWLETT SPEAKS.

HIS ELOQUENT AND LOGICAL PAPER BEFORE THE EBENEZER LYCEUM.

There was a large crowd present last Sabbath afternoon at Ebenezer church, corner 4th and D Sts. S. E., the occasion was a meeting of the Ebenezer Lyceum, of the District bar. The speaker was logical and eloquent, he showed the many short comings of the representative colored men and why the race didn't succeed. He denounced negro aristocracy as狂妄的 (arrogant) as狂妄的 (rude) to a third. He declared that negro leadership was a failure and a mockery on civilization; that the race never had a leader, and he didn't want any at this time. In this race, he said, was capable of leading itself. He denounced the method and practices of men who claim to be judges of the courts, and their discrimination against the negro. He declared that an incompetent judge was dangerous to any community.

The Senate adjourned after a session of twenty minutes.

Senator Parker reintroduced his Public Building Commission bill of last year. It provides for a Superintendent of Public Buildings for each city except New York, Brooklyn and Buffalo, to be named by the Mayor and confirmed by the Common Council. It also makes it the duty of the Fire Department to look after bodies buried or supposed to be buried in any building or part of building. This is the only new provision. The Superintendent is to serve three years at a salary fixed by each city.

Senator Pound introduced the woman's Suffrage amendment, striking the word male from the Constitution. This was also introduced in the Assembly.

IN THE ASSEMBLY.

In the Assembly last night Mr. Ablett introduced a bill rearranging the ward boundaries and constructing six instead of five wards in Cohoes. He also introduced a bill for a bi-partisan Police Commission for the village of West Troy, providing for four Commissioners, two Democrats and two Republicans.

Mr. Bloomingdale introduced a bill last night abolishing the office of Capitol Commissioner, now held by Isaac G. Perry. The bill says that the Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary of State and State Engineer and Surveyor are created Commissioners for the construction of the State Capitol in place of Isaac G. Perry. The office of Capitol Commissioner is abolished.

The Commissioners are empowered to have exclusive charge, control and management of constructing, building, finishing and completing the Capitol, and they are authorized to appoint a superintendent and deputy superintendent, and as many employees as they deem necessary to properly carry on the work. The salary of the superintendent is fixed at \$7,500, and that of the deputy at not to exceed \$3,000. The sum of \$1,000,000, "or as much thereof as is necessary," to "continue" work on the Capitol is appropriated by the bill.

The Lawson bill prohibiting the display of foreign flags on public buildings was passed by a vote of 83 ayes to 13 nays to day. This is the bill that caused so many words last year and about which so many controversies have arisen.

OUR TRAINED NURSES.

The train-nurse system at the Freedmen's hospital is one of the best in the country. Miss S. C. Eversole, the superintendent of the training school, is no doubt, one of the most accomplished ladies in this country. She has the interest of the nurses at heart and she does all in her power to make her work acceptable to the Surgeon in charge.

Mr. Williams is to be congratulated in securing the services of such a valuable acquisition to this department.

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Taylor put the report out, here, that he spent his holidays at his home in Kansas. What lies some mortals tell!

From the Standard. [Washington letter.]

That the Bee has stung C. H. J. Taylor, the present Recorder of Deeds for the District, is very evident, from the fact that he has sworn out a warrant against W. Calvin Chase, the editor of the Washington Bee, for criminal libel. The suit promises to be an interesting one, as the bill bears many things

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SATURDAY, JAN. 26, 1895

NEWS OF INTEREST.

Mr. E. P. McCape has been honored with a position in the legislature.

The testimonial concert given last Friday night was a success.

Prof. Hayton, of the High School, custom, late giving a grand curtain in April. It will equal, if not exceed anything that has ever been given in the District.

Miss Florence Mathews, who has been sick for two weeks, is again able to be duty at Freedmen's hospital.

Mr. A. B. George, of Altoona, Pa., was recently appointed as one of a committee of the Law Students Association of Blair County, Pa.

Rev. W. P. Gibbons, Ph. D., will during the coming spring, enlarge his church at the corner of 4th and L Sts., northwest, in the membership, even now, is much over 1,200.

Kansas has a new Senator. He is a Republican and still Ingalls is "out of a job."

Rev. H. Clay Robinson, who is much interested in concerning the chaplaincy in the Army, is a man of magnificent physique, probably weighing 230 pounds, and standing over six feet. He is courteous, affable, educated and cultured, and is a first-class man for the place.

Albermarle, is the greatest county in Virginia, and Senator "Tom" Martin, newly elected, will no doubt, show his wonderful power as an all around thoroughbred man from the South.

The wind-bagged specimen is still with us.

Miss Blanche Kelly, formerly of this city, but now of New Port, R. I., recently made one of the best averages of her school. Miss Kelly is an Afro-American, and one of the coming women of her race.

At the annual meeting of the Berean Baptist Church, held on last Thursday evening, the Finance Committee made their report, showing that the membership of the church had made considerable improvement during the past year in meeting the financial obligations resting upon the church. The receipts for the year 1894, including collections, donations, contributions, etc., had amounted to over \$4,400.

The annual election took place and resulted in the re-election of the trustee board as follows: L. C. Bailey, chairman; John A. Pierre, David Messer, Amos D. Rowe, and B. F. Petway. Mr. Henry E. Baker was re-elected treasurer.

Reports of the various committees showed a prosperous condition of every department of the church work, and the membership starts out in the work of this year under new inspiration and with every assurance of success.

PERSONALS.

Bon. B. K. Bruce has returned to the city from the South where he has been for several months.

Editor James A. Ross, and John Adams, took a trip to Baltimore this week.

Rev. H. Clay Robinson is being strongly urged for the chaplaincy in the Army. It is the best man to be appointed.

Dr. Williams, his mother, and sisters, returned to the city Friday from Indianapolis, Ind., where they attended the funeral of their brother and son.

Madam Hagen, of Williamsport, Pa., the celebrated electrician, the mother of Mrs. Fannie Gregory, of Howard University, will be in the city on a visit in a few days. Mrs. Hagen is one of the most accomplished and most successful women in this country.

Mrs. W. R. Thomas is quite sick at her home 1932 12th street northwest.

It is expected that Mr. Charles Chapman will soon be able to come out again, much to the gratification of his many friends.

Mr. G. A. Lewis, of Howard University, who has been on a visit to his parents at Weatherford, Texas, is expected in the city this week.

Dr. Jenifer read an able paper before the Bethel Literary last Tuesday night, on "The duty of the church towards Peruvian revolutionists."

Miss Marie Wells, has entered Freedmen's hospital for the purpose of becoming a trained nurse.

A QUIET MARRIAGE.

Mr. Will Duncan, of Pittsburgh, Pa., took French leave of his friends on last Wednesday evening by going to 927 17th Street, Northwest, with his best man and took there Miss Bertie Hackney, and went to the residence of Rev. Walter H. Brooks and were married. Mr. Duncan, who has been in the city for several months and who had won the hearts of several more fair ladies, thought it best to take the 10:20 train for Pittsburgh, after having bid fare well to his friends, Uncle Bob Brown, and the Bee representative.

A STEAMER SUNK.

The City of Missouri Strikes a Rock in the Ohio.

Louisville, Jan. 21.—The big New Orleans packet, the City of Missouri, struck on the Indiana side of the Ohio near Alton, Ill., and went down in fifty feet of water. She gave a heavy lurch forward and sank rapidly. Four passengers on the City of Owensboro, passing here last evening, were picked up near the Kentucky shore. They swam for life on planks and reached the willows. One reached the shore and the others remained in a tree many hours until rescued.

C. E. Hyde, local agent of the Memphis, New Orleans and Cincinnati Packet Company, reports that there were only nine passengers aboard the steamer when she went down, and it is believed that none of them was lost. The boat had a full crew of about fifty men. The latest information obtainable is to the effect that the only persons lost were roustabouts. The number is not believed to be over five. The value of the steamer was \$40,000.

DISTRESS IN NEBRASKA.

No Picture of the Suffering Has Been Overdrawn.

Greeley Centre, Neb., Jan. 21.—The distress in this part of the State is appalling. No picture of the suffering has been overdrawn and a great many cases have been suppressed. Hundreds of families have nothing to eat and no fuel and children are so nearly naked that they are kept from school. At least one-fifth of the people of this county have become county charges. It is impossible for the people to care for the destitute and unless a large amount of outside assistance is received at once many farmers and their families will perish. The people are most in need of clothing. Some of the best farmers, whose lands are unincumbered, are as destitute as tenants, because they cannot realize on any kind or class of securities. A great many of the floating population left the State last fall, and all who are here are actual residents, most of them owning their homes.

WORK OF VIGILANTES.

The Body of Defaulting Treasurer Scott Found in the River.

O'Neill, Neb., Jan. 21.—The body of Barrett Scott, the defaulting Treasurer of Holt County, who while out riding with his family New Year's Day was fired upon by a party of vigilantes, and after being wounded was dragged from his carriage, blindfolded and carried off by his assailants, has been found in the Niobrara River. A new hemp rope was found around his neck and the end, about three feet long, was dangling in the water. Evidence showed that he was hanged by the vigilantes before being thrown into the water. The excitement is intense. Those who were the loudest to denounce Scott when his defalcation, amounting to nearly \$100,000, became known, and were ready to wreak their vengeance on him then, are among those making threats against his assailants.

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NEWS TERSELY TOLD.

PARAGRAPHS CONDENSED FOR QUICK READING.

Many Items of Interest From All Parts of the World Are Here Given as Kernels Without the Chaff.

The Greek Ministry has resigned. Cardinal Desprez, Archbishop of Toulouse, is dead.

Fire at Livonia, N. Y., burned three hotels. Loss, \$3,000.

Fire at Proctor's Mills, Ogdensburg, N. Y., did \$25,000 damage.

William J. Sewell was elected United States Senator from New Jersey.

The Flower City Democracy organized the Monroe County machine.

The Rev. Dr. Kirby, rector emeritus of the Irish College at Rome, is dead.

The Sherman anti-trust law was declared inapplicable to the Sugar Trust.

The Parkhurst memorial fund in New York now amounts to \$19,342.25.

A great portion of the village of Swormsville, N. Y., was burned. Loss, \$14,000.

Sir Henry F. Ponsonby, Queen Victoria's private secretary, is progressing slowly towards recovery.

The United States Supreme Court ordered the release of Debs and his associates on \$2,000 bail apiece.

The Oregon Republicans in caucus nominated Senator Dolph to succeed him in the United States Senate.

Ex-Police Captain Stephenson, of New York, who was convicted of bribery, was admitted to bail in \$25,000.

Police Inspector McAvoy, Captains Price, Slevin, Martens and Meakin, and 261 policemen of New York are on the sick list.

Not a single man was lost in the wrecking of the steamer State of Missouri, according to the captain and others of the crew.

The Earl of Buckinghamshire, who recently announced his conversion to the Liberal programme, was gazetted as Lord-in-Waiting.

Emperor William has conferred upon Count Shuvaloff, the retiring Russian Ambassador, the decoration of the Black Eagle.

Darius Pickney, of Vall's Mills, N. Y., was killed by the explosion of his gun. He was in the woods near his home hunting rabbits.

The recalcitrant Sugar Trust witnesses, except the correspondents, pleaded not guilty. The correspondents will plead likewise.

Among the passengers on the White Star line steamer Majestic, from Liverpool, were Mrs. Coleman Drayton and Mr. and Mrs. Beerbohm Tree.

The Marchioness of Lorne is suffering from an attack of influenza, and is confined to her room in Kensington Palace. Her condition is not serious.

The Italian Parliament has been declared closed by royal decree. The dissolution and appeal to the electors will take place probably in March.

William E. Midgeley, formerly president of the American Casualty and Security Company of Baltimore, has been indicted for retaining a \$21,000 check.

At a meeting of the citizens of Waco, Texas, it was decided to rebuild the Cotton Palace, which was destroyed by fire. The next palace will cost not less than \$100,000.

At Manuel Hamilton's saw mill near Alto, Texas, the boiler exploded, resulting in the death of four colored men: Tobe Richards, Alex and Will Lewis and Abner Lee.

Sam G. Hotaling shot and killed his wife's mother and his wife at Fairmont, Minn. He was killed while resisting arrest. Domestic trouble caused the killing.

The Kreuz Zeitung learns that Prince Lobanoff-Rostovski, Russian Ambassador to Austria, has been appointed to succeed Count Shouvaloff as Russian Ambassador to Germany.

As the result of a boycott on one of the bakery firms in Indianapolis, a bread war was begun. The retail price has gone down to three cents a loaf and the wholesale price to one cent.

James E. Button, a travelling missionary for the Christian Church and Mary Maxon, the twenty-three-year-old wife of Henry Maxon, a well-to-do lumber jobber, of Huntsville, N. Y., have eloped.

M. A. Macowan, a physician and a large shareholder in a brewery syndicate at Utica, N. Y., was indicted for grand larceny and for embezzling \$2,000 from an estate for which he was executor.

Mayor Schieren, of Brooklyn, has approved of the new ordinance company and the two elevated railroad companies to pay a \$20 license fee on each car in operation.

The New York Methodist ministers roundly score Mayor Strong for his attitude on the Sunday saloon question. A committee has been appointed to call on Mayor Strong and protest against Sunday opening.

Edgewood, the former home of Chief Justice Salmon P. Chase, and the property of his daughter, Mrs. Kate Chase Sprague, at Washington, was sold at auction to the Washington Loan and Trust Company for \$44,000.

While taking in clothes from the line at Canton St. Lawrence County, Mrs. Gertrude Holmes was attacked by paralysis and dropped dead. Her stepmother, seeing the woman fall, went into a fit which resulted in her death almost immediately.

Lord Salisbury, as Conservative leader in the House of Lords, has sent circulars to his followers stating that the nature of the business that will come before them makes it desirable that they be in their places at the opening of the coming session of Parliament.

S. Downing & Son, dry goods dealers at Nos. 613 and 615 Fulton street, Brooklyn, have assigned with liabilities of \$40,000. Mr. Downing says the assignment was caused by the hard times which have been aggravated by the strike.

BURNED IN THE WRECKAGE.

A Fair Accident on the B. R. & P. Railroad—Killed and Injured.

Bradford, Pa., Jan. 23.—A special from Ridgway says a fatal railroad wreck occurred on the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railroad near Carmen Interchange yesterday. Three sections of a coal train piled up and caught fire. The accident occurred on a bridge and the trains toppled over into the ravine. One man was killed and four were injured by the accident. Fireman William Baxter, of Bradford, who was on his engine in the second section, had his arm so badly crushed that it was amputated later. The middle brakeman, named McPhilemee, who was in the caboose, was buried beneath the wreckage and it is feared was burned in the fire that followed. No trace of his body can be found. Conductor James Morrow, of Bradford, was badly bruised, and another, whose name could not be learned, was injured. Flagman Traynor was injured about the arms and body, but not seriously. Two cars were destroyed by fire.

FEMALE FOOTPAD.

Knocks a Railroad Man Down and Rifles His Pockets.

Jersey City, Jan. 23.—The first female highwayman on the records of Jersey City, so far as Chief Murphy knows, was arrested in New York by Jersey City detectives. She knocked down Frank Fiel, twenty-five years old, of No. 152 Railroad avenue, Jersey City, with a sandbag and robbed him of \$8 at 2 o'clock last Tuesday morning. Fiel is a messenger for the Pennsylvania Railroad. A stalwart woman without a word brought a sandbag down on the back of his head with a force that sent him flat upon his face. His next recollection is that the woman was rolling him over and going through his pockets. Policeman Ackerman and Harrigan pursued the Amazon to No. 123 Railroad avenue. The next day Jessie Lewis, alias Davis, twenty-five years old, was arrested. She had been in Jersey City a week. Chief Murphy says he has reason to believe that she came from Chicago and is wanted for other crimes.

FRENCH CABINET.

The Composition as it is Approximately Made Out.

Paris, Jan. 23.—After an interview with MM. Poincaré and Carignan, President Faure again summoned M. Bourgeois, and it is believed that the latter will resume the work of attempting to form a Cabinet, and that in so doing he will choose other financial advisers, giving greater preference to members of the Left.

London, Jan. 23.—The Standard's Paris correspondent gives the composition of the new Cabinet approximately as follows: M. Bourgeois, President of the Council and Minister of the Interior; M. Hanotaux, Foreign Affairs; M. Cachry, Finance; M. Carignan, War; M. Lockroy, Marine; M. Terrier, Public Works; M. Deverinac, Agriculture; M. Combès, Public Instruction; M. Doumer, Commerce; M. Maurice Lebon, Colonies; M. Leveillé, Justice.

Shot His Sweetheart.

Newburyport, Mass., Jan. 23.—Thomas E. Hersey, a shoe cutter, aged twenty-three years, attempted to murder his sweetheart, Emma Ellery, by shooting her twice. She will probably die. He then fired a bullet through his own brain, dying in the hospital. They were walking on the street at the time and a quarrel arose between them.

A Negro's Quick Conversion.

Greenville, Miss., Jan. 23.—At Moorehead, forty miles from here, William Bush asked a negro if he believed that Jesus Christ ever rode an ass. When the negro replied in the negative Bush pulled his gun and said: "I will make a convert of you," and shot the negro dead. He took the first train for Greenville.

Aldridge Resigns as Mayor.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 23.—Superintendent of Public Works Aldridge last evening resigned as Mayor of Rochester. Supt. Aldridge has been confined to his home by illness for more than a week. He expects to be able to assume the duties of his office next week.

Two Thousand Miners to Strike.

Masontah, Ill., Jan. 23.—Two thousand miners employed in the coal mines of St. Clair County are threatening to go on strike for a higher scale of wages, as the scale, it is said, is not equal to that paid in Central and Northern Illinois.

Lured Her Lover to Jail.

Katie Maher Was to Have Married the Young Burglar.

New York, Jan. 22.—Emile Otto, aged twenty-one, whose father is said to be a burglar in Germany, has been in the habit of making an impression of the locks of the various saloons he frequented. With their aid he made keys with which he entered those places. He always took the owner's check book in addition to the money he found. The checks he used to obtain money by forgery. He was to have been married to Katie Maher. When informed of his crimes at the dictation of a detective she wrote to him to meet her at Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street. He confessed to some of his offenses. He was held.

MANY SHOTS FIRED.

THE TROOPS AND POLICE AND THE STRIKERS.

FORTY HAVE BEEN INJURED.

New York, Jersey City and Newark Electric Men Consult with the Brooklyn Men With a View of Making the Strike General—An Attempt to Burn a Depot.

Brooklyn, Jan. 22.—The first serious clash between the troops and police and the Brooklyn strikers occurred at Myrtle and Gates avenues last night. Three companies of the Seventh Regiment, of New York, under Major Kip, were escorting the first car that has left the Ridgewood station since the strike, when they were attacked by a mob. They drew their revolvers and fired into the crowd. There was a return fire from the mob, who sent a scattering volley. Private Ennis, of Co. H, was wounded by a pistol shot. Six members of Co. G were injured by stones. Capt. Dunn, of the Fourteenth Precinct, was badly battered by the strikers. George Mohrman, patrolman of the Twentieth Precinct, was beaten by strikers and sent to the hospital. Four strikers were wounded and carried away by friends. So far as is known thirteen persons were injured in the battle.

The car which was the cause of all the difficulty had to be defended all the way down Gates and Stuyvesant avenues. At almost every corner it was assailed by mobs, and the police fired their pistols, and finally the troops fired their muskets into the air to keep off the strikers. Capt. Appleton said: "My company shot to kill and a number of the rioters were hit and carried away by their friends."

Judge Gaynor has granted an order to show cause why a writ of mandamus should not issue to compel the Brooklyn Heights Railroad Company to resume the operation of its lines.

The wires are cut on Myrtle avenue and Knickerbocker avenue, and all the linemen struck this morning.

Forty men, including rioters, soldiers and policemen, have been injured during the past week.

Presidents Norton and Lewis notified the police that they would attempt to start cars on the Fifteenth street, Butler street and Broadway lines.

Col. Appleton's guard dispersed crowds with the butt ends of their muskets.

It is now learned that an attempt was made to burn the depot last night.

Delegates from the electric lines of New York and Jersey City and Newark will come here to consult with the local strikers with a view of making the strike general.

Another conference between the strikers, the Mayor and the railroad officials will be held with a view of fixing the grievance.

Inspector Jennings, of the Brooklyn Heights Company, was assaulted by strikers near the Halsey street station of the Brooklyn elevated this morning.

BRIDGE TRAINS COLLIDE.

Rear-End Smash-Up on the Brooklyn Bridge.

New York, Jan. 22.—A rear-end collision occurred early last evening on the Brooklyn bridge, 200 yards west of the block signal on the Brooklyn side. Two cars were badly damaged and three persons injured. Those hurt were: Edward D. Haigh, aged sixty-six years, a clerk, of No. 58 Dufield street, Brooklyn, left leg fractured; Blanche Hyde, aged twenty years, stenographer, of No. 166 Lee avenue, Brooklyn, face cut by flying glass; a young woman, name and address unknown, face and hands cut by glass. The accident was indirectly due to another which occurred a few minutes before on the New York side, in which a car was derailed, stopping traffic from Brooklyn.

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London, Jan. 23.—The third national banquet of the Sons of the American Revolution was held Friday night at Delmonico's. The banquet this year was tendered especially to Major-General Nelson A. Miles and incidentally the battles of Cowpens and Kingsbridge which were fought on the 17th of January, 1776, were also commemorated. Chauncey M. Depew presided.

SONS OF REVOLUTION BANQUET.

New York, Jan. 21.—The big factory of the New York Fur Cutting Company in Williamsburg, extending from No. 156 to No. 170 Meeker avenue and through to Lombardy street, was destroyed by fire Friday night. The building had a frontage of 210 feet on Meeker avenue, and was 190 feet deep. It was a two-story brick, and 200 persons were employed there. They stopped work at 5:30 o'clock last night, and an examination of the premises then showed that everything was apparently all right. J. T. Hand, the superintendent of the factory, said that the loss would foot up about \$24,000. Most of the work done in the place consisted of clipping of the fur from the skins of rabbits and hares and preparing it for hats.

BIG FIRE IN WILLIAMSBURG.

The New York Fur-Cutting Company.

Factory Burned.

New York, Dec. 31.—Rio Janeiro ad-

vices say: "Revolutionary circulars

have been found under the house doors calling the people to arms in favor of Gen. Peixoto. They were also distributed secretly among the navy and army officers. The navy officers, it is said, promised to join the conspiracy and two of them have been arrested. A Cabinet council discussed the situation. President Moraes favored the summoning of Peixoto here to vindicate himself, but was overruled. Gen. Peixoto has assured President Moraes that he has nothing to do with any conspiracy. The greatest excitement prevails here, and every one believes the country is on the eve of another bloody revolution."

London, Dec. 29.—The Brazilian Government has ordered \$1,000,000 worth of war material from the Armstrong Gun Company.

ANOTHER REBELLION.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—RIO JANEIRO AD-

VICES SAY: "Revolutionary circulars

have been found under the house doors calling the people to arms in favor of Gen. Peixoto. They were also distributed secretly among the navy and army officers. The navy officers, it is said, promised to join the conspiracy and two of them have been arrested. A Cabinet council discussed the situation. President Moraes favored the summoning of Peixoto here to vindicate himself, but was overruled. Gen. Peixoto has assured President Moraes that he has nothing to do with any conspiracy. The greatest excitement prevails here, and every one believes the country is on the eve of another bloody revolution."

London, Dec. 29.—The Brazilian Government has ordered \$1,000,000 worth of war material from the Armstrong Gun Company.

IN THE VAULT.

ROBBERS THUS LOCK A COUNTY TREASURER.

London, Jan. 21.—Lord Rosebery

said in a speech in Cardiff Friday even-

ing that Welsh disestablishment would

be the first measure of the next Par-

liamentary session. He did not doubt

that the established Church in Wales

was doomed, but everybody must re-

member that the House of Lords pre-

sented a permanent barrier to the

measure on which the Welsh had set

their hearts. The position of the

Lords was the supreme question of the

hour. When the Government resolution

dealing with this question should

be submitted, it would involve the di-

solution of Parliament. Before the di-

solution, however, he wished Parliament

to deal with the liquor traffic and

representation of labor and the one-

man-one-vote issue.

ROBBERS TO BE DESPERADOES.